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Admiral Stansfield Turner
Commander in Chief
NATO Forces South
Naples, ITALY

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Dear Admiral Turner:

When [redacted] returned from Naples in September after having attended [redacted] wedding and told me she had visited with someone who had served with me on the USS Adirondack, it naturally was a pleasant surprise, and it became the topic of quite a bit of reminiscing. Those days in Naples between 1952 and 1954 hold many happy and warm memories for us.

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Coincidences are strange, and when I read of your appointment to be Director of the CIA, I felt impelled to send you my best wishes for a successful and rewarding experience. If at any time we can be of service or assistance to you, please let me know, and certainly, if the occasion arises that you are in Dallas, we would like you to be our guest.

Very truly yours,



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